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Honorable J. Lee Rankin
General Counsel
The President's Commission
200 Maryland Avenue, Northeast
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rankin:

The news media today indicate that Mrs. Marina Oswald has disclosed new evidence with reference to the matter of the assassination of the President.

As you are aware from the extensive reports that have been submitted to the President's Commission, Mrs. Marina Oswald has been interviewed on many occasions and has been questioned in great detail concerning her knowledge of Lee Harvey Oswald's activities.

Inasmuch as Mrs. Oswald is now being questioned by the President's Commission under oath, this Bureau would be very much interested in any information disclosed by Mrs. Oswald which would indicate a variance with information she previously furnished to Bureau representatives during their interviews with her. In the event Mrs. Oswald discloses any information that has not been previously covered during interviews with her that would warrant further investigation, I would appreciate being advised in order that any necessary investigation can be immediately undertaken.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover